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TELEGRAPHIC.

EASTERN STATES.

Railroad Lands Restored. Washington, June 11.—The interior department has accepted the map of the amended route of the Northern Pacific railroad through Washington territory, and as a consequence millions of acres which for a number of years have been withdrawn for the benefit of the railroad will be restored to public lands. The number of acres of the amended and shorter route to Puget Sound will be four millions less than on the old circular

A Remarkable Resolution.

bune to-day says that the most rehonor of Wm. Lloyd Garrison was in Atlanta, Georgia, on the 9th The resolution adopted contained

From this state and capitol, where \$5000 were offered for the head of the great philanthropist, we rejoice to make this declaration to all the land, and eall upon all to praise and serve the God who led our Moses to conquer the Pharoah of American slavery, and to make his cap-tives free. May He give us grace to continue till we achieve a complete victory over every wrong in all our land.

Pacific Mail Troubles.

tion gave the Panama road power recorded his death. to foreclose with ease, neatness and dispatch the mortgage held at random in a field at Cincinnati, and to take possession of ships known as pottery field, on account which form the only competing of numerous pieces of earthware the Atlantic and Pacific coasts.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

Trial of Hall the Defaulter.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 11.-Lawrence Otis Hall, defaulting clerk of the London and San Francisco bank, was placed on trial to-day on charges of grand larceny. Letters from Hall to the officers of the bank were read in evidence, showing that he had stolen some \$24,000 of funds of the bank. He however, denies taking \$13,000 in greenbacks, missing on the day of his departure. The jury after an absence of fifteen minutes returned a verdict of guilty, recommending the defendant to mercy. Saturday was set for sentence.

-There is a strong movement in Massachusetts in favor of the enforcement of the Sunday laws in that state. Gov. Talbot heads the crusade against the Sabbath breakers. The Washington Post thinks it will be found impossible to get back into the old Puritanic grooves on this subject. Public opinion will not sustain the suppression of innocent recreation on the only day when the poor can enjoy cessation from toil. The church people would be able to win powerful influences if they would give up their rigid and obsolete notions, insist only on doing away with immoral exhibitions, and approve of such things as afford the working classes innocent and elevating entertainment on Sunday. People can't be forced to church Horseshoeing or Sunday school. They will only go as attracted. But if half the effort were made to purify and elevate Sur day amusements that is made to suppress them, they could be deprived of injurious tendencies.

-The New York Herald's correspondent with General Grant writes of the most beautiful tomb in the world; but it is not a grave subject, for the Orientals have learned to regard the tomb, like all things else, as a matter of course.

FACTS AND SCRAPS.

Rates of passage to Europe were never so low as now.

The demand for laborers in Kansas is so great that the 600 refugees who landed at Lawrence have all obtained employment in the vicinity. Indeed, the supply of refugees is not equal to the demand. At Topeka there are 500 applications waiting, but not a

A women in Ithaca, N. Y. has in her house a large room, the floor within the forty mile grant limits of which is covered with sawdust and with two leafless trees and many bamboo perches in it, where she keeps more than a hundred canary birds, raised from a single pair which she bought a few years ago. She can indentify every New York, June 12.- The Tri- bird and tell its age.

bune to-day says that the most re-markable meeting yet held in left the province of Ontario in the past two months for Manitoba, and there have passed through Haminst. Bishop Haven presided, ilton, Ont., 1,300 emigrants from Europe, 1,000 from the province of Quebec, and 500 from other Canadian provinces, making a total of over 8,800 persons who have entered Manitoba within the last 60

For nearly a year the Glen Falls Messenger has been printing a series of interesting papers by Edson P. Forbes, entitled "Lights and Shadows of Washington." NEW YORK, June 12.—The The last issue contains a brief one Public to-day, speaking of Pacific dictated by him, and beginning: Mail affairs, says that the last "It seems to be the will of Provisteamer under the contract has dence that my days on earth are sailed, and the supply ceases this soon to be ended; and unless I reweek. The plain truth is that the cover from the malady which now company has been kept alive by afflicts me, my series of letters with its contract with a subsidy from the above heading must terminate the Pacific road, which they have with this closing announcement." withdrawn; and the recent elec- The same number of the paper

line for traffic or travel between found there, unearthed a human skeleton, and the field, it has been discovered, is nothing more than an ancient burial ground, containing the remains of hundreds of prehistoric people, with whom were buried their earthen implements, ornaments carved and plain, pipes and other evidences that show that they had made considerable advances in art. Bones of prehistoric animals and birds are also being unearthed.

> -Pity poor little Liberia. She is adjusting with Great Britain a boundry line between the African Republic and an adjunct English colony, and everybody knows what adjusting boundaries with England means when the other side is feeble and has only honesty to help it.

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